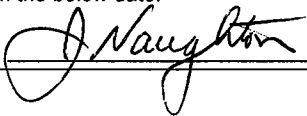


CERTIFICATE OF EFS FILING UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being filed electronically with the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, via the EFS pursuant to 37 CFR §1.8, on the below date:

Date: December 18, 2008 Name: James P. Naughton Signature: 

**BRINKS
HOFER
GILSON
& LIONE**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Appln. of: Michiaki Otani

Appln. No.: 10/615,585

Filed: July 7, 2003

For: VOICE GENERATOR, METHOD FOR
GENERATING VOICE, AND
NAVIGATION APPARATUS

Examiner: David D. Knepper

Art Unit: 2626

Confirmation No: 8983

Attorney Docket No: 9333/352

Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

TRANSMITTAL

Sir:

Attached are:

- ☒ Transmittal; Petition for Extension of Time (2 pgs); Amendment and Request for Interview (15 pgs); attachment (6 pgs).

Fee calculation:

- ☐ No additional fee is required.
- ☒ An extension fee in an amount of \$130 for a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a).
- ☐ A petition or processing fee in an amount of \$_____ under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
- ☐ An additional filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

Fee payment:

- ☐ A check in the amount of \$_____ is enclosed.
- ☒ Deposit Account No. 23-1925 is being charged simultaneously with this electronic filing in the amount of \$130.
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional filing fees required under 37 CFR § 1.16 and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR § 1.17 associated with this paper (including any extension fee required to ensure that this paper is timely filed), or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 23-1925.

Respectfully submitted,

December 18, 2008

Date


James P. Naughton (Reg. No. 30,665)